

Easterling, Deborah

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From: Easterling, Deborah
Sent: Tuesday, September 06, 2011 12:35 PM
To: 'Mike Simmons'
Subject: RE: Form Returned: Letter_of_Protest_Form_pub_0001.pdf

Dear Mr. Simmons,

This is to acknowledge receipt of your emails to the Public Service Commission. I am forwarding your emails and Letter of Protest to our Clerk's Office for processing. Your emails and Letter of Protest will become a part of Docket No. 2011-271-E and will be posted on our website under this docket.

Please let me know if you should require any additional information.

Sincerely,

Deborah Easterling
Administrative Assistant

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-----Original Message-----

From: Mike Simmons [<mailto:msimmons@hr-synergy.com>]
Sent: Thursday, September 01, 2011 2:59 PM
To: Contact
Subject: Form Returned:
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Instructions to add this form to a response file:

1. Double-click the attachment.
2. Acrobat will prompt you to select a response file.



* Required Fields

Letter of Protest
in Docket * 2011 - 271 - E

Print

Email

Date: * September 06, 2011

Protestant Information:

Name * Mike Simmons

Mailing Address * 1551 Ben Sawyer Blvd. #2J

City, State Zip * Mt. Pleasant, SC 29464 Phone * 615-525-8873

E-mail

1. What is your connection or interest in this case? * For example, are you a customer of the Company that is the subject of this pending proceeding? (This section must be completed. Attach additional information if necessary.)

I am a Customer of the company.

2. Please give a concise statement of your protest. * (This section must be completed. Attach additional information if necessary.)

Duke's costs have come down in the last three years (I am sure their numbers show a loss....are you surprised?) Since they supply the numbers!

Duke just posted more than \$400 million in second quarter profits.

Their stock has a positive trend over the last year, which is much better than the rest of the market.

Since they are cost plus, ask them to disclose their overhead increases of the past 3 years! I am sure you will see dramatic increases put in the books to show the NEED for this increase.

Any increase in electricity rates is not justified by economic conditions of the past three years! In fact personal incomes have gone down, not up in the last three years.

3. Do you wish to make an appearance at a hearing in this proceeding, if scheduled, and offer sworn testimony? *
(This section should be completed.)

Not unless requested.

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From: Mike Simmons [msimmons@hr-synergy.com]
Sent: Thursday, September 01, 2011 3:08 PM
To: Contact
Subject: 2011-271-E Duke Increase request

Looks to me like Duke Energy is doing well in an otherwise declining economy. I do not believe “the folks” will receive news of an increase well? Do You?

